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# Hassan opens Arab scientists' conference here



is Royal Highness Crown Prince Hassan addresses Arab scitists and mathematicians in Amman on Monday.

WMAN, May 4 (Petra) --- His earch. yal Highness Crown Prince it in the Amman opened at the Amman entific research centres from one another.

e second Arab conference on - tysics and mathematics. Prince Hassan, who stood in r His Majesty Fing Hussein, scomed the participants to i- .... e conference and expressed here has be that their meeting here here here here here towards eating a better future for rab scientists, helping them to ay a significant role in their

untries' fature. He reminded his audience at Jerusalem "used to be the ntre for scientific studies in e Islamic era," before the ELS Consist occupation, and refrlier in this century, which he id "came to put an end to ckwardness and launch a w cultural and scientific

> Prince Hassan attributed the esent low standard of the scices in the Arab World to

ter factors: . I. the meagreness of sci-. .... tinc resources or the lack of ganisation and direction of orts towards scientific res-



OCCUPIED JERUSALEM, May 4 (Agencies) — Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin today said he had no regrets over his vehement attack last night on West German Chancellor Helmut Schmidt, despite a strong protest from Bonn.

The Israeli leader's speech at a "slips of the tongue" in con-olitical rally last night stunned nection with the Israeli election political rally last night stunned foreign diplomats with its unprecedented invective. His anger was raised by Mr. Schmidt's statement, made on returning from Saudi Arabia, that West Germany had a moral commitment to the Palestinians.

At one point Mr. Begin bracketed French President Valery Giscard d'Estaing with Mr. Schmidt and charged them with "unbridled greed and avarice," And in an even more personal vein Mr. Begin said Mr. Schmidt had served in the wartime German armies that helped wipe out the Jews.

Foreign ministry officials said an official protest will probably be made to Bonn over Mr. Schmidt's remarks.

The West German government today branded Mr. Begin's remarks as "beside the point and insulting."

West German government spokesman Kurt Becker said Mr. Begin possibly had made such

campaign. "But even an election campaign cannot be an excuse for beside-the-point and insulting claims," Mr. Becker told a news conference. Mr. Begin faces a tough drive for re-election on June 30.

Guenther van Well of the Bonn foreign ministry was scheduled to meet tomorrow with Israeli Ambassador Yohanan Meroz to inform Saudi Arabia and the United Arab Emirates.

He could well imagine. Mr. Becker said, that Mr. van Well on that occasion express the Bonn government's "astonishment" at Mr. Begin's remarks.

A West German foreign policy pokesman earlier had rejected

Greed for oil shapes French and German policies, Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin tells a Tel Aviv rally Sunday night. (AP

- junior government coalition par- safeguarding the peace in the reg-

Furthering German-Israeli relations was one of the major ohjccts of Bonn's foreign policy and a lot was being done for this, Mr.

Mr. Begin's "excessive criticism" and his stubborn point of view regarding all attempts at obtaining peace in the Middle East were beginning to become "a burden to Israeli-German relation,"

Mr. Moellemann said. army during World War II. He said he hoped that moderate In France. Mr. Begin claimed, "they have forgotten the slogans forces in Israel would call on Mr. Begin to moderate his views.\_\_\_\_ of the revolution -- Liberte, Ega-The French presidential Elysee lite, Fraternite' -- and in Germany Palace today declined to teply to they have forgotten the crime aga-Mr. Begin's speech. inst our people.

But Mr. Begin was unrepentant today, saying he was 'not at all "They are greedy and have only two goals--to sell weapons expinterested" in Bonn's reaction to ensively and to buy oil cheaply, They have no principles, no beart. his attack on Mr. Schmidt, whom he termed "arrogant." The Israeli no memory. Nothing else interests tbem."

premier told reporters: "I won't lose even one second of good sleep because of this German talk." Responding to German criticism of his speech, Mr. Begin asked, "What was Schmidt doing in Riyadh? With what arrogance can he say he has an obligation toward the Arabs and forget about the Jews?

Israeli newspapers endorsed strongest opponents of German-Mr. Begin's tough stand. "Though Israeli rapprochement. In 1954 he it was not formulated in dipled bloody riots against the acclomatic language, it was totally ords under which Bonn paid Israel true," editorialised the daily Yedand individual Holocaust suriot Abronot. vivors restitution for what the 'If they (Mr. Schmidt and Mr. Nazis did.

Giscard d'Estaing) have decided Even after West Germany and to sell Israel out to its neighbours Israel established diplomatic relfor petrodollars, they should not alions in 1965, Mr. Begin refused be surprised if they are spoken to to have anything to do with Gerthe way Begin did," said Yediot man officials. It was only after he was lifted out of the Knesset opp-Ahronot. However, the paper reported osition into the premiership in the

that some members of the opposition and of Mr. Begin's coalition government thought the premier went too far in attacking Mr. Schmidt personally. It did not

identify these critics. The opposition Labour Party issued a statement saying Mr. Schmidt's remarks were "a grave departure from the traditional West German position."

truction of European Jewry.

the Palestinians." He said, "The Palestinians are The English-language Jerusalem Post, usually no supporter not the only ones who throw of Mr. Begin, also backed the bombs," a remark taken here as premier and said it did think his criticism of Israel's retaliatory attattack was "significantly oveacks on Palestinian positions in Lebanon.

Mr. Schmidt is regarded in Isr-In his impassioned speech last

Mr. Begin's attack on Mr. Schmidt as "unjustified, incomprehensible and hard to bear in style and content." Mr. Juergen Moellemann, foreign policy spokesman for the

wirephoto) ther, told the Associated Press in a ion. telephone interview that West

Germany's Middle East policy was in line with the principles of all members of the European Eco-

Moellemann said,

# Syria won't shift missiles in Lebanon

BEIRUT, May 4 (Agencies) --have the missiles removed from Syria has refused to withdraw its eastern Lebanon and dispel the newly-installed surface-to-air tbreat of a Syrian-Israeli military SAM-6 missiles from Lebanon, sbowdown.

insisting instead that Israel be pre-But the Syrians remained adassured into halting its involvement mant, contending that the depin Lebanon altogether, western loyment of the missiles last Tuediplomatic sources said today. sday was an act of self-defence following the shooting down of two These sources said U.S. embassy officials in Damascus have Syrian helicopter gunships by Isrbeen in daily contact with the Syraeli warplanes near east Lebian government in an effort to anon's embattled city of Zahle,

efforts.

January and February.

according to the sources, U.S. President Ronald Reagan, in a message to Israeli Prime Minister Menachem Begin, asked for more time to solve the Syrian-Israeli missile crisis by diplomatic

means, Israel's state radio reported. Mr. Begin told reporters in occupied Jerusalem that Syria has moved three SAM-6 batteries inside Lebanon and a "certain num-

Another try for Gulf peace

claimed that they were encouraged by the response to their peace

ministry, who did not want to be named.

doumi, head of the PLO political department.

#### ber" of additional SAMs onto the Syrian-Lebanese border.

Western reporters who toured much of east Lebanon's Bekaa Valley spotted only one battery of SAM-6s made up of 24 missiles deployed mainly around a Lebanese air base which Syria's 22,000-man peacekeeping army is using.

Israel contends that by moving the missiles into the Bekaa Syria has crossed the "Red Line" that rdrawn.' Israel set to limit Syria's military Lebanon five years ago

Syrian Foreign Minister Abdul

Free Democrats, Mr. Schmidt's nomic Community and aimed at

Mr. Becker said State Secretary him about Mr. Schmidt's visit to

# Haig, Carrington at NATO talks

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Prince Hassan expressed

entists from their colleagues in

hope that Arab states and sci-

entific research institutions will

establish a centre for scientific

analysis and application to

serve Third World countries

Also speaking at the opening

session were the secretary gen-

eral of the Arab Physicists and

Mathematicians Federation,

Dr. Ali Atiyeh, and Dr. Isa Shahin, president of the Jor-

danian Union of Physicists and

Mathematicians, outlining the

importance of developing sci-

entific research in the Arab

Towards the end of the ope-

ning session Dr. Atiyeh pre-

sented Prince Hassan with the

ference 120 Arab scholars and

researchers will review 60 res-

earch studies in physics and 51

research studies in mat-

During the four-day con-

conference's insignia.

World,

bematics.

and Islamic nations.

other parts of the world



Secretary of State Alexander Haig, right, and tish Foreign Secretary Lord Carrington join s of the North Atlantic Treaty Organisation

(NATO) foreign ministers in Rome on Monday. Story on page 8 (AP wirephoto)

# **Egypt wants U.N. to admit**

# Soviets block Sinai force

.O, May 4 (A.P.) - Egypt has officially asked hited Nations Security Council to admit, in an l document, its inability to take a decision on tion of a Smai peacekeeping force because of opposition, a weekly newspaper reported

yo, organ of President Anwar Sadat's ruling al Democratic Party, said Egypt bas also sted the council to specify that its inability is , Moscow's threat to use its veto powers if a sal calling for establishing such a force was r discussion.

U.S.-sponsored peace treaty Egypt and Isr-ned in 1979 calls for the U.N. to form an ational peacekeeping force to patrol their border after Israeli troops complete witing from Sinai next April.

· United States has pledged to form a mulunal force if the Soviet Union insisted on its "ition to the Camp David accords, which prothe Egyptian-Israeli treaty.

paper did not say when the request was made re further details but a top foreign ministry il was quoted last week as saying that the

Soviet opposition had ruled out formation of a Sinai force.

Mr. Osama Al Baz, undersecretary for foreign affairs, said in a newspaper interview that Egypt had preferred a force under U.N. auspices because as such, the troops would be operating under clear guarantees and controls.

Mr. Al Baz said the Kremlin's opposition had in fact increased Washington's role in the Middle East peace process, " a role the Soviets did not want America to have at all."

Military representatives from Egypt, Israel and the United States to meet in Washington today to discuss an American draft on formation of the Sinai force, according to the Middle East News Agency.

The agency said the American draft was made in light of the recent visit to the Middle East by Deputy Assistant Secretary of Defence Michael Stemer.

It said the draft suggests the multinational force be formed of 2,000-2,500 men, a figure Egypt originally proposed. Israel wants a force of not fewer than 4,000, according to press reports.

ublican majority leader, is in charge of President Ronald Reagan's plan to steer the sale of the AWACS planes through Congress. Facing vigorous opposition, the administration is holding back on submitting the plan, which could be killed by a majority vote of the House of Representatives and the Senate-Mr. Reagan intends to package with the five radar planes -- Airborne Warning and Control System or AWACS aircraft--new equipment that would increase the range and firepower of the U.S.-built F-15 fighter planes the Saudis already

have on order. In an Associated Press interview, Sen. Baker said he does not know how he will vote. He said that while the package would remain basically intact, he had informed Mr. Reagan some changes might have to be made to win Congressional approval.

The Tennessee Republican also stressed that "we ought to take into account the needs of Israel." Last week, deputy White House press secretary Larry Speakes also beld out the possibility of new ass-

Sen. Baker, the Senate's Rep- istance for Israel. But Mr. Ephraim Eyron, the Israeli ambassador to the United States, said: "We are not asking for more defence assistance. We are asking for

> Israel and its supporters say the radar planes might pose a security threat in the event of another Middle East war.



NEW DELHI, May 4 (A.P.) - The foreign minister of India, Zam-bia and Cuba and a representative of the Palestine Liberation Org-Halim Khaddam held several hours of talks today with Lebanisation are scheduled to meet here next Thursday to plan another anese leaders on the fighting in attempt to end the Iran-Iraq war, an official Indian source said today. "They will then proceed to Iran and Iraq" after a day or two of Lebanon, state-run Beirut Radio reported. discussions among themselves, said the official in the external affairs President Elias Sarkis, Prime Minister Shafiq Al Wazzan and The group of four toured the warring neighbours last month and

Foreign Minister Fuad Butros met Mr. Khaddam at the Ba'bda presidential palace, southeast of Bei-

The members of the group are India's P.V.N. Rao. Zambia's L.K.H. Goma and Cuba's Isidoro Malmierca, Mr. Farouk Kad-Mr. Khaddam, who held two days of talks in Beirut last week, is Meanwhile, United Nations Secretary General Kurt Waldheim is expected to meet the leaders of to confer with his special Gulf envoy, Mr. Olof Palme, in Geneva next most Lebanese factions as well as Monday on the U.N.'s next step to bring a quick Iraq-Iran ceasefire. government ministers in an att-Mr. Palme, a former Swedish prime minister, has failed to bring empt to draw up a programme for about a ceasefire on three trips to the two countries in November, national reconciliation in Leb-

U.S. needs 'toe in the door' in AWACS deal, Baker says

WASHINGTON, May 4 (A.P.) – U.S. Sen. Howard Baker Jr. says that if advanced radar planes are sold to Saudi Arabia, the United States ought to have "a toe in the door" over the sensitive military information they gather.

ael and the United States is the external threat" to the Middle East. The administration's reasoning behind the proposed deal is that it would strength pro-U.S. forces against any Soviet thrust toward the Gulf oil fields. To try to gain congressional approval, the administration has indicated it would not turn over to the Saudis certain sensitive electronic equipment and would take other steps to assure that the planes would be used only to protect Saudi Arabia.

danger to Saudi Arabia and to Isr-

Another potential safeguard would be to maintain U.S. controls over operation of the planes.

Sen. Baker, however, said he would be in favour of the Saudis' owning the planes outright once they have paid for them.

"I'd sort of like them to buy them, but I'd sort of like to be sure America has a toe in the door so far as we have access to the work product," he said.

By that, he explained, be meant the kind of information the surveillance planes gather and what is done with the data.

"It doesn't matter one particle to me who flies the airplane, who's in the right seat or the left seat," he said. "What does really matter is not the man in the airplane. It's the man on the ground, the man who receives the data and processes it."

night, Mr. Begin went as far as to ael as generally unfriendly to Mr. instnuate that Mr. Schmidt was Begin. indirectly involved in the des-

Mr. Schmidt's statements to West German television were Mr. Begin said the Palestinian broadcast in Israel and triggered an uproar.

Contacted by telephone, a spo-

A U.N. spokesman said he had

kesman for the Front confirmed

the denial in Al Liwa.

towns until the work was finished

The Einsatzgruppen were units

whose job was to exterminate the

Jews of towns and villages as they

were occupied by the German

It was the harshest Israeli attack

Mr. Begin, 67, lost most of his

family in the Holocaust, His father

is believed to have been thrown

into a river and drowned by the

Mr. Begin used to be one of the

1977 election that he began to

maintain relations with German

The Schmidt statement that set

off the controversy was that

Germans who themselves are

seeking national self-

determination cannot allow the-

mselves not to recognise the dem-

and for the self-determination of

in memory on leaders of friendly

countries.

Nazis in Poland.

representatives.

by the Einsatzgruppen."

self-determination which Mr. Schmidt has endorsed would lead The daily Maariv published a cartoon showing Mr. Schmidt in to Israel's downfall, "but never mind. He (Mr. Schmidt) has alr-Arab headdress, holding up a eady seen how the people of Israel book entitled "Mein Jihad" and faced doom. He served in the saying cheerfully: "From Saudi Arabia with love." army that would surround the

## Kidnap a mystery for UNIFIL

BEIRUT, May 4 (R) — The Arab kesman as saying the group had Liberation Front, a pro-Iraqi Pal- nothing to do with the kidnapping estinian group, today denied an of Pvt. Joyce and its objective was Israel Radio report that it was to fight Israel, not UNIFIL. holding an Irish soldier of the United Nations Interim Force in Leb-

anon (UNIFIL). Israel's state radio said last night that Pvt. Kevin Joyce, 20,

no information on the whewas being held by the Front in a reabouts of the missing soldier. Southern Lebanese village. Pvt. UNIFIL forces have been sea-Joyce disappeared last Monday rching the area east of the Lebwhen another Irish soldier, Pvt. anese coastal town of Tyre con-Hugh Doherty, was shot dead. trolled by Palestinian forces since the soldier's disappearance last

The pro-Iraqi Beirut daily Al Liwa today quoted a Front spo- Monday.

# Waldheim in Moscow

MOSCOW, May 4 (R) - United Nations Secretary General Kurt Waldheim arrived in Moscow today on a visit during which he is expected to seek Soviet support for a further term in office and discuss world issues, including

Afghanistan. Mr. Waldheim, on his first trip to Moscow since May 1979, was greeted at the airport by Foreign Minister Andrei Gromyko.

The U.N. secretary general met President Ronald Reagan in Washington on Thursday for talks which covered the Soviet military intervention in Afghanistan in December 1979 and the conflict in Lebanon.

The U.N. General Assembly has twice called for the withdrawal of "foreign troops" from Afghanistan and the issue is expected to play a significant part in Mr. Waldheim's talks with Soviet officials.

The Soviet Union insists it is supporting the legitimate government of Afghanistan at its request and will withdraw its troops when "outside interference" in Kabul's affairs has ceased.

No details of Mr. Waldbeim's schedule for the four-day visit were available.

ference on disarmament. Mr. Waldheim is now in the last year of his second five-year term of office and U.N. diplomats in New York have suggested that he may use the visit to assess possible Soviet support for an unp-recedented third term.

It was expected that Soviet off-

icials would also raise President

Leonid Brezhnev's proposals for a

summit session of the U.N. Sec-

urity Council and a world con-

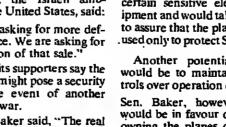
Mr. Waldheim has given ao public indication, however, of whether he will seek a further term.

The Communist Party newspaper, Pravda today carried a photograph of Mr. Waldheim and a short biography, the wording of which suggested Kremlin approval of his performance in office. Pravda said that he spoke out for "increasing the efficiency of the United Nations in str-

engthening international peace and security and stands for the preservation of detente and curbing of the arms race. "He argues for the fulfilment of

resolutions of the United Nations aimed at removing the last vestiges of colonialism, racism and apartheid," Pravda said.

reconsideration of that sale. But Sen. Baker said, "The real



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# Village councils to get more power

MADABA, May 4 (Petra) --- The Ministry of Municipal and Rural Affairs and the Environment has adopted a policy of creating a village council in each village with a population of at least 400, Minister of Municipal and Rural Affairs Hassan Al Momani said here today.

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He said that the ministry is introducing amendments to the village administrations byelaws with the purpose of increasing the power of village councils, making them almost as powerful as municipal

councils. The minister was speaking during a tour today which took him to Madaba. Ohiban and Ma'in in

the Madaba District. Ouring the tour he reviewed with municipal officials the services offered to the public and their future programmes. He also announced that his ministry will create 16 new village councils in Mafraq Discirici, and is going ahead with increasing public services offered by "joint services councils"

# with message to King Hussein AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) — Saudi Minister of State Mohammad

Ibrahim Mastoud arrived in Amman this evening for a brief visit to Jordan during which he will meet with His Majesty Fing Hussein and convey to him a verbal message from Fing Fhaled of Saudi Arabia. The message deals with the general Arab situation and relations between the two fraternal countries.

Saudi aide arrives

In an arrival statement, Sheikh Mohammad lauded the relations between the two countries, and said his visit to Amman comes within the context of constant consultations between Jordan and Saudi Arabia on various levels to serve the joint interests of the two countries in particular, and Islamic solidarity and the unity of Arab ranks in general.

Sheikh Mohammad was received at the airport by the court minister, Mr. Amer Whammash, and members of the Saudi embassy staff in Amman.

# Italian team discusses aid during first-of-its-kind visit

aid to Jordan for the next three

The Italian aide said that he bad

discussed with Education Minister

Sa'id Al Tal the possibility of inc-

reasing the number of edu-

cational, training and technical

scholarships granted by Italy to

ernment has given Jordan the nec-

essary equipment, tools and exp-

ertise to establish a vocational tra-

ining centre for auto mechanics.

Mr. Ivancich also had talks with

the Jordan Valley Authority's

(JVA's) president, Mr. Omar

Abdallah, on what he called "the

possibility of cooperation in pio-

neering agricultural projects in

The delegation visited the farm

of Sharif Jamil Ion Nasser and pra-

ised its good management and eff-

An official of the JVA acc-

ompanied the delegation on a visit

to Wadi Araba, after which they

visited the city of Karak and Idr

village, where they inspected Ita-

He said that the Italian gov-

years," he said,

Jordanian students.

Wadi Araba."

icient organisation.

#### By Lima Nabil

#### Special to the Jordan Times .

AMMAN, May 4 --- A delegation from the Italian foreign ministry under Minister of State Jiacomo lvancich, including Counsellor Giuseppe Filippo O'alessandro, Dr. Vincenzo Gravina, and Dr. Enrico · Calizza, left Amman yesterday at the end of an official visit to Jordan and talks on Italian technical aid to Jordan.

In an exclusive interview with the Jordan Times, Mr. Invancich said that the significance of the visit rests in the fact that it is the first after the creation of a new section at the foreign ministry with the aim of strengthening cooperation between Italy and developing countries.

He added that during the mee-tings, he discussed with Jordanian officials the question of strengthening cooperation in social, cultural and economic affairs between Jordan and Italy. " Italy has allocated \$6 million as technical



#### course opens AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) — A two-week training course on the administration and development of pasture lands in the Arab World

Agricultural

training

icultural Research and Guidance here today. Sixteen agricultural engineers from the Arab World taking part in the course will hear lectures from specialists on pasture resources and the role of pastures in helping to ensure food security, as well as means of producing fodder and its protection, mechanisation in agricultural operations and the development of pasture lands.

opened at the Oirectorate of Agr-

The participants will also be taken on tours of the Ministry of Agriculture's nurseries and pasture lands.

liao projects, including the Italian

hospital in Karak and social dev-

The Italian delegation also dis-

cussed with Minister of Transport

Ali Suheimat the possibility of Ita-

lian government participation in

the establishment of new railroads

in Jordan. The delegation sub-

mitted plans for the establishment

of a pioneering hospital in Ajloun

to the Ministry of Public Works.

team had talks with Minister of

Social Development In'am Al

Mufti on "several projects in

which the Italian government

supplied the necessary equipment.

tools aod experts, such as the Cen-

tre for the Rehabilitation of the

The two sides discussed the pos-

sibility of starting other projects in

which the Italian and Jordanian

governments would participate,

The Italian minister said "agr-

eement has been reached to have

Italy participate in the Queen

Alia Centre for the diagnosis and

trealment of the deaf, and other

projects involving the bedouins in

Mr. Ivancich and his delegation inspected several Italian projects

Deaf in Ruseifa."

he said.

Jordan.'

The Italian minister said that his

elopment projects in Idr.

## NATIONAL NEWS BRIEFS

AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) - The Public Security Oirectorate and ounced today that the Ving Hussein Bridge and the Prince Mol ammad Bridge across the Jordan River will be closed as of 10 a.r. Wednesday, May 6, until Friday morning, May 8.

AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) - The Union of Arab Universities (UAL has decided to recognise the University of Bethlehem and the Ara Medical Sciences Colleges in Jerusalem Governorate as a nucleus for university. The UAU has also decided to establish a special fund for assistance to universities in the occupied Arab territories. The dec isions were taken at a UAU meeting in Oamascus.

AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) - The minister of education and youth the United Arab Emirates (UAE), Mr. Sa'id Salman, left for hom today at the end of bis official visit to Jordan. Ouring the visit he wa received to audience by His Majesty King Husseio and held talks wit Jordanian officials on cultural cooperation between the UAE an Jordan in the coming two years. The UAE minister was seen off : the airport by his Jordanian counterpart. Or. Sa id Al Tal, the sec retary general of the Ministry of Education, Mr. Thihni Ra fat an several ministry officials.

AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) — Minister of Culture and Youth Maravi Abu Nowar today extended an invitation to the Arab fine arts fer cration to hold its next annual convention in Amman. The invitation was made at a meeting in his office with the visiting director of fir:"" arts in Bagbdad and the federation's secretary general. During th meeting they discussed cooperation between Jordanian and Iracs artists.

AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) — The Amman Water and Sewerag Authority (AWSA) today began dredging the bed of the Zarqa River An AWSA source said the dredging operations are intended t remove waste objects that obstruct the smooth flow of water and als to remove swamps created by the collection of water from the participation of the participati winter season. The dredging was in response to a call by the publisafety committee, the source said.

## WHAT'S GOING ON

#### Exhibitions

The Department of Culture and Arts, in cooperation with the embassy of the Socialist Republic of Romania, presents a photograph exhibition on Bucharest, the Romanian capital. The exhibition is open to the public at the art gallery of the Ministry of Culture and Youth in Shmeisani.

The British Council presents "The Age of Shakespeare", an exbibition which employs pictures, photographs, slides, music, models and costumes to explore the way of life of the late 16thcentury Englishman. The council will present a special programme of readings and scenes from Shakespeare, lectures, solo performances and music related to the exhibition during the second week of May. The exhibition is open from 9 a.m. - 1 p.m. and from 4 - 7 p.m. at the council in Jabal Amman.

The Harvard Semitic Museum, in cooperation with the ministries of culture and youth and tourism, presents an exhibition of Middle East" Photographs from the Last Century". The exhibition is now on display at Yarmouk University in Irbid.

Karak Municipality presents the town's first book exhibition, at the Karak government house. Today is the last day.

The University of Jordan presents an exhibition of paintings, embroidery and handicrafts by 25 university students, at the university library.

#### **Spring Festival**

## centre at Dhiban on his trip to Madaba District on Monday. New Civil Defence centre in Zarga

Minister of Municipal and Rural Affairs Hassan Al Momani (inlight suit) leaves the community development

ZARIJA, May 4 (Petra) - Intenor Minister Suleiman Arar today opened a new Civil Defence centre in Zaroa.

In a speech at the ceremony, Mr. Arar said that his ministry has plans to increase the number of Civil Defence centres around the country to ensure speedy services to the public. The Civil Oefence Oirectorate has imported modern equipment specifically to be used at the new centre, which was the fruit of the combined efforts of the public and pnvate sectors, the minister said.

Mr. Arar also spoke about the role of Civil Oefence centres in protecting lives and property.

Other speakers at the ceremony included the director of Civil Defence, Maj. Gen. Khaled Tarawneh, and the district governor of Zarya, Mr.

Salem 'Al Qudab, who also paid trihute to the private sector in Zarga for its contribution to the establishment of the centre.

The JO 40,000 cost of the new centre was shared by the directorate and private contributors, mainly merchants and factory owners in Zarga, the president of the Zarqa chamber of commerce, Mr. Ibrahim Takieddm, said in a speech. He said that the land on which the new centre was built was a gift from Zarga Municipality.

The new centre will offer rescue, first aid and firefighting services to the commercial and residential areas of the city and its environs, Mr. Takieddin said. After the ceremony, Mr. Arar made an inspection tour of the centre's facilities and equipment.

## AMMAN STOCK EXCHANGE REPORT

		Number			Closing
Name of Company	Par Value	Traded	High	Low	Price
Islamic Bank 50%	JD 1.000	24,485	1.650	1.640	1.650
Jordan-Kuwait Bank	JO 1.000	1,500	2.270	2.240	2.250
Jordan-Gulf Bank	JD 1.000	7,607	1.510	1.500	1.500
Housing Bank	JD 1.000	500	2.170	2.170	2.170
Arab Investment Bank	JD 1.000	4,150	1.650	1.650	1.650
Jordan National Bank	JD 5.000	155	16.300	16.300	16.300
Cairo Amman Bank	JD 5.000	170	14.900	14.700	14.700
Arab Bank Co. Ltd.	JD 10.000	190	133.000	133.000	133,000
Jordan Financial Papers Co.	JD 10.000	75	17.100	17.100	17.100
Arab Union Insurance Co.	JD 1.000	350	1.500	1.500	1.500
General Insurance Co.	JD 1.000	1,395	1.660	1.650	1.660
Arabian Seas Insurance Co.	JD 5.000	100	11.600	11.600	11.600
Jordan Electricity Co.	JD 1.000	3,678	2.000	1.980	2.000
Arub International Hotels Co.	JD 1.000	5,850	1.050	1.040	1.040
Arabian Investment and International					
Trading Co.	JD 1.000	7,350	.300	1.290	1.290
International Contracting and			•	•	
Investments Co.	JD 1,000	9,950	0.900	0.880	0.890
Livestock and Poultry Co.	JD 1.000	2.000	0.650	0.650	0.650
Dar Al Sha'b for Press, Publications					
and Distribution	JD 1.000	2,000	0.960	0.960	0.960
Arab Development and Investments Co.	JD 2.000	50	1.430	1,430	1.430
Jordan Dairy Co.	JD 1.000	3,312	1.320	1,290	1.290
General Mining Co.	JD 1.000	3.012	1.800	1.800	1.800
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Italian Ambassador Fabrizio Rossi Longhi (left) talks with Minister of State at the Foreign Ministry Jiacomo Ivancich

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in Agaba, such as the Agaba thermal power station project. The delegation head expressed the hope that Italy would participate in similar electricity projects in Jordan, adding that an Italian delegation will arrive in Jordan in October to follow up on the projects mentioned.

Mr. Ivancicb said that the Italian government attaches great significance to its relations with Jordan in view of the historic and cultural status which Jordan enjoys. He expressed his pleasure at visiting Jordan, and the wish that it might have been longer, so that he could see other tourist and antiquities sites in Jordan.

Mr. Ivancich and his delegation did get the chance to visit tourist sites at Petra, Wadi Rum, Jerash and Madaba. And they also expressed their great admiration of Jordan's stability and the quick development it has seen in the last few years.

The Italian ambassador in Amman, the Marquis Fabrizio Rossi Longhi, accompanied the delegation during all their talks in Jordan.

In Aqaba, Mr. Ivancicb and his delegation participated in the Spring Festival held under the patronage of Her Majesty Queen Noor, and met with the Queen.

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The Jordanian Writers' Association presents the second in its series of artistic criticism workshops, entitled "The Criticism Movement in Jordan", which will be held under the chairmanship of Mr. Salem Al Nahas. The seminar will take place at 5 p.m., at the association's headquarters. For further information contact the association at telephone 21724.

#### Films

The Americao Centre presents "All the Kiog's Men". The film is based on Robert Penn Warreo's Pulitzer Prize-winning novel. It revolves around Willie Stark, who is a clumsy but idealistic "hick" politician who ruos headlong into the corruption and timidity of the politics of a southern state. The show starts at 6 p.m., at the centre's auditorium, off Third Circle in Jabal Amman.

The Goethe Institute continues its women's film series for the month of May. It presents "Lisa: Aus Dem Leben Einer Unentbehrlichen" (1973), which tells the story of a press secretary, devoted to her career, who realises her problem as a woman too late. The show starts at 8 p.m., at the institute in Jabal Amman.

The British Council presents the third in its series of films of Shakespeare's plays: "As You Like it". The show starts at 8 p.m., at the Haya Arts Centre in Shmeisani. Admission costs 250 fils.

#### **British Ladies**

The British Ladies of Amman will hold a meeting at the Ambassador Hotel in Shmeisani, at 10 a.m. on Wednesday. The programme includes a curry cooker demonstration. Creche is available. All Commonwealth citizens are welcome to membership.  $\frac{1}{2} e_{i_1 i_{j_1 i_1}}$ 

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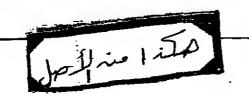
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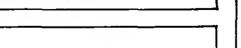
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# n the past

TOR'S NOTE: This article, which accompanies the Harvard nic Museum's travelling exhibition of 19th century photos of an and Pulestine, describes the wealth of information about the had can be gleaned from the images, and urges the Internation ic to come forth with any pertiment observations or recollections h 'r 'ic to come forth with any perturent over the state of the state ty in Irhid.

#### By Malcolm Coolidge

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S SELECTION of photographs made by Fetix and Adrien Bonfils een 1875 and 1889 was unexpectedly discovered in 1970 at the rard Semitic Museum (HSM) in the United States. The photos and Semitic Museum (risk) in the clinical cases of an in the senior and an in sites in Interior of the area. The HSM team e and customs among the inhabitants of the area. The HSM team meen working with Jordanian experts, and hopes that these recof the past will spark curiosity among modern Jordanians, whose sge they uniquely reflect.

e views of old Amman show how the various buildings appeared <sup>2 Un</sup> betal, the landscape to visitors in the 19th century. One feels the great 'dth and ruggedness of the surrounding plain and hills. One sees iy how the Roman theatre, which once seated 6,000 spectators, built into the bill. The columns, of which the photo shows eight ling with their entablatures intact, must have originally num-1 about 50, and stood five metres high.

the time these photographs were made, travellers found the ad strewn everywhere with a "bewildering confusion" of column NG (s, capitals of all varieties and friczes. They found much evidence Roman roads and artificial stream beds - some still carrying Y, and fish as well. What the camera cannot show, the journals of avelers described: the flocks of grazing animals, coming to water arby streams, found shelter from the son among the ruins, giving lace the "aspect and stench of an ill-kept farm yard." Jackals, res and innumerable storks also made their homes among the

1874, travellers, well-equipped with horses and mules and guiry dragomen, took six hours riding from Amman to Salt. From ad, which crossed plains and led through "pleasant hills covered oak forests," they could spot a few ruined villages as well as s of the Roman road. They found Salt to be a town uf some 4,000 'le -- 500 of whom were Christian -- thriving by the production of n and woolen cloth.

the photographs show, the town could be well defended from the lel at the top of the hill, which commanded a wide view of the s. The establishment of a Turkish garrison in the Citadel made it r to check raids by the "great Arab tribes" and thus to coltivate er tracts of upland plains". Indeed must of the barley and wheal was raised in fields miles out of town, so that many lived in the country much of the time. At the time of Bonfils's visit to Salt, the



town had been "for several generations perfectly independent from the suttan" and was governed by a council.

The travellers found Jerash, unlike the living hill town of Salt, in ruins, in a valley surrounded on three sides by wooded mountains. These ruins cover aboot a square mile (2.5 square kilometres) and according to one traveller were "the most extensive and beautifol east of the Jurdan." A typical Roman town with temples, theatres, haths and a forum, Jorash also shared among the great Syrian cities the distinction of having either side of her moin street lined with colonnades. According to the same English observer, the stadium at Jerash had been occasionally filled with water for the "exhibition of sea fights." The triumphal orch, shown in une of the Bonfils photos, is a trademark of any Roman town. Originally, there were three archways, bot as is common with ancient sites in the area, Jerash suffered earthquake damage, and was gradually crombling away.

The Bonfils photographs of these 19th century scenes have already inspired enthusiastic response from a variety of scholars including archaeologists and historians; hut it is hoped that anyone with an interest in the history and customs of his or her ancestors will come forward with enlightening stories and information about uld ways and places. The HSM teom and its Jordanian colleagues feel that the photographs are a special treasure for the people of Jordan, and that they provide opportunities it would be a shame to neglect. They hope that these exhibits will initiate a cuntinuing dialogue and curiosity about many kinds of historical investigations.

# Jordan celebrates Traffic Day

and sincerely for their own safety.

He said excessive speed and carcless overtaking--as well as dis-

regard for traffic lights--and tampering with means of transport.

including cars and motorcycles are

Cul. Umari added that the

number of accidents which took

place in 1980 totalled 12,654, res-

ulting in the deaths of 387 citizens

and injuring 6,444 others. "These

figures dictate on us a review of

serveral matters, whether related

to traffic regulations or the con-

ditions of the streets, parking lots,

traffic signs or the role of the inf-

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responsible for the deaths of many

innocent people.

nection," he said.

AMMAN, May 4 (J.T.) — If yoo were shocked to see young men and women standing in the middle which are known to every driver," he addcd. Col. Umari called on members of the public to work diligently

of streets at major intersections waving their arms all day today, relax--it was International Traffic Day. On this occasion, celebrated in Jordan and around the world, boy scouts, girls guides and students

took to the streets to assist traffic police in organising and directing traffic movement. Bouquets of flowers were also awarded as token prizes to the best-behaved drivers, to those who showed a sense of ethics and to those who cut down on violations at service taxi parking lots. Several traffic policemen were also chcered by receiving bouquets while on duty at their posts. Col. Issa Al'Umari, the director of the Traffic Department, said on the occasion that the slogan of the International Traffic Day for this year is: "The traffic policeman in service of the citizen." He expressed his thanks to all drivers for their constructive response to the Traffic Department's efforts and its instructions, and to the new pulicy it is following--a policy based. he said on mutual respect between the policeman and the citizen, and cooperation in efforts to organise traffic in a manner that will protect the public and fac-

Col. Umari pledged that his instructions of the traffic policemen working all over the country, and ahide hy the rules and regulations governing traffic.

## Muta U. team leaves for U.S.

AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) - A team representing the royal commission for Muta University left for the United States yesterday for a week-long visit.

The team, headed by Transport Minister Ali Suheimat, will look into educational and administrative systems used at a numher of American universities with a view to benefiting front them in drawing up suitable systems for the projected Jordanian university.

The team includes Dr. Adnan Badran, president of Yarmouk University and Brig. Kamal Qaqish, deputy director of the Public for adm rate.



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Amman's street corners were manned by kids of all sizes-frum little girls (top) to hefty young men

(bottom)-on Mondoy. (Photos by Yousef Al •Allan)



ilitate transport.

department will undertake the implementation of laws, regulations and decisions of the traffic committees firmly, hut without insult to the public. "We hope that the citizens will take better care vis-a-vis the traffic signs in the streets and the guidance and



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AMMAN, May 4 (Petra) - Nea-rly 61,000 civil servants who du not fall within the civil service grade classification system will be covered by the Social Security law as of August, Social Security Curpuration (SSC) Director Farhi Ubeid said today.

Speaking at a meeting with officials of Jordan Televison, Mr. Ubeid said that with the expansion, the number of employees covered by Social Security will jump to 123,000).

The SSC is studying the pos-sibility of applying the Social Security laws to Jordanians employed other Arah countries before the end of this year, Mr. Ubeid said.



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## The past is past

NOW, it seems, Menachem Begin wants to take on France and Germany, and let loose Israel's character assassination machinery on Valery Giscard d'Estaing and Helmut Schmidt. Mr. Begin's virulent attacks against Messrs. Giscard d'Estaing and Schmidt, including not-so-vague insinuations that Mr. Schmidt was personally involved in the murder of European Jews during World War Two, are not to be shrugged off as the intemperate mutterings of a strange fellow who just happens to be the prime minister of Israel. Mr. Begin's remarks have been defended by the Israeli press, and there is little douht that he mirrors the sentiments of most Israelis in criticizing West Germany and France for their support of Palestinian self-determination. The fact is that Israel is reacting honestly to a set of developments that it has always been the imperative of political Zionism to avoid at all cost -- developments that revolve around international acceptance of the Palestinians' right to nationhood and self-determination, the diplomatic and moral isolation of Israel, and the emergence of a unified Palestinian political leadership that shows itself ready to deal with the fact of the Israeli state if the Israeli state is ready to reciprocate the effort. Giscard d'Estaing and Schmidt are only symbols of the inevitability of unravelling the web of misinformation that Zionism has so carefully spun during the past 100 years or so. Palestine lives. That is the fact that the world is trying slowly to acknowledge, but that Mr. Begin wants to defer indefinitely with an overkill of allusions to the past. It might have worked once, but it will work no more. Palestine lives. The past does not. No matter how hard the screamers scream.

Jordan is part of the Arab World in every sense of the word. Indeed, in many respects it is the heart of the Arab World: politically, geographically and socially. The malaise that has characterised the Middle East over the past few decades has left its mark on Jordan too.

Jordan is one of the oldest nations of the world, yet it is young in its spirit and modernity. It has been always a fact in question --much more so in recent times than in remote history.

The image of Jordan within the Middle East reel is a spot of rationality where the shadow, or indeed sometimes its reflection, is a reality. For there is something unreal about studying politics in the Middle East. Often it seems like a Disneyland kind of atmosphere, existing and exciting, yet at the same time ephemeral and unreal. A Disneyland production that creates and conjures enthralling, colourful events whose characters are often too real to be

Dead Sea.

strength,

been able to, escape this atmosphere. Its political development, or lack there-of, has been greatly affected by factors that lie beyond its geographical frontiers or its reach of control. One, and indeed the most important, question over the past few decades, has been the unresolved Palestine question.

Over the years, until the present ime, and it would seem for the years to come, Jordan's political climate and life has been and will continue to he affected hy this question. Jordan's reaction has varied in degree and in tactic, hut not in strategy, from the total Arab reaction to the challenges posed by the Palestine question. Concomitant with this factor has been the Arah and the Jordanian reaction to the colonial presence in the Middle East as a whole, and in Jordan in particular. This reaction has ranged within, as well as without, Jordan from physical violence to other methods until ind-

true. Jordan cannot, nor has it ependence was won. This, in addition to the responses to the challenges posed by demands for modernity and social evolution.

In trying to identify some of Jordan's political characteristics over the years, one may come up with a set of the themes that may include the following: That throughout its modern history, Jordan has been able to make the impossible and the improhable work. This was done through two basic factors: leadership (the late King Abdullab from 1921-1951 and His Majesty King Hussein from 1953 to the present) and an energetic and forward looking and ambitious population.

Over the years, many observers outside Jordan have claimed that the Jordanian leadership has been able to fragment opposition, even atomise it, and later on obsorb its ranks; that beyond the beautiful facade lies a Dorian Gray image of a strict regime, increasingly intolerant of contrary opinions; that the level of the regime's tolerance

#### has lessened rather than increased over the years. These observers claim that while economic and social development has been an undeniable fact, political development has been halted, indeed retarded. Yet it remains that in the con-

text of available historical facts, the Jordanian leadership has had not only the stamina to live and overcome the challenges, but foresight as well as vision; a leadership characterised hy a pragmatic approach rather than rigid ideological commitment to a set of ideals. Such a leadership has maintained an equilibrium between past and present as well as the various alternatives within the political spectrum: the concern of Jordan has always remained for man as a buman being rather than a political tool. And despite the many challenges it has faced, Jordan has somehow achieved social and economic development and a continuously improving standard of living. The experience of Jor-

dan has never been life through theories, hut theories for life and at its service.

In absorbing opposition, humane tactics were used, always keeping in mind the size of Jordan and the closeness of its people to each other. This, in addition to the conscious effort to utilise every talent wherever and whenever possible. Since the dawn of the country's

existence, Jordan's leadership on the highest level has been flexible and moderate. Both King Abdul)ah and King Hussein eventually acquired a paternalistic approach to politics and soon the concept of "family" was applied to Jordan's political and social arena. The patence characterising the style and life of both leaders was huttressed by a vision that gave both leaders the gift of understanding events often before they happen and thus to plan accordingly. This, in addition to their capability in adhering to their beliefs, defending these beliefs and adopting positions often at great risks. It is hoped that the halt in Jordan's political life and the present absence of popular political participation will

only be temporary. It is also hoped that Jordan's political life will not always he dominated by the mustawzireen, those hoping to become cahinet ministers, though in all faimess, a few outstanding persons have emerged from amongst them.

In looking over the past few decades, a distinguishing feature seems to stand out. Jordan's modern political history commenced as a halting point and ended up as - a starting place -- a starting place towards the advancement of the ideals of Arab unity and the lib-eration of Palestine. Underlying its development, politically as well as economically and socially, is the fact that it entered the modern world without suffering from his-

torical complexes.

The second factor which is no less important is an optimistic -despite periods of desperation -- acknowledged in regional and intspontaneous and ambitious peo- ernational circles.

economy of scarcity to that of services without going through many of the agonies of development. In going this it has taken the initiative to plan for itself, knowing fully well that others will be, and were, as well as are, planning for it. The realisation that stability is a necessity for any level of action has made it encumbant upon Jordanian leaders to become issue rather than ideology oriented. The tension spots do not pull only left or right, but hackward or too for-

ward at times as well. Finally Jordan has continued to maintain itself as a potent factor and catelyst in Middle East affairs on the Arab, regional and the international levels too. It has done this not through its weight in terms of population, armies or wealth but its through political weight,

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ARAB PRESS COMMENTARY AL RA'l; Jordan is expected soon to launch a large-scale diplomatic initiative on the Arab and international levels to prompt the international community to shoulder its responsibilities towards the aggressive Israeli plan to open a canal

linking the Mediterranean with the Needless to say, the plan is destructive in its potential effect on the Jordanian economy and the Arab Nation's self-The Jordanian initiative is an invitation to all peace-loving nations, par-

ticularly in our area, to play their role and prevent the implementation of the Israeli project, which comes in blatant defiance of Arah sovereignty and poses real dangers to peace and stability in the area.

The prime minister has already warned, in a speech to the National Consultative council, all parties which might get involved in supporting the Israeli

plan, whether by financing it or through any other means. He warned that such involvement would be participation in the Israeli aggression in against Jordan, This undoubtedly is a warning to any

party which might participate in the project, whether officially or unofficially. All Arabs are called upon to formulate a clear and definite visualisation of the measures which they should take to prevent the implementation of the project, including the use of the economic boycott weapon against those who get involved in supporting the project, regardless of who they are. The Arahs should also make it clear to the international community that they are

determined to do so. The United States, to which Israel is looking for the project's finances, expertise and technology, should take into consideration the consequences and dangers about which we have spoken, so that the United States might not get inv-

olved in something which would barm its relations with the Arab Nation, and so that the area does not become even more tense than ever before.

AL DUSTOUR: Again British Prime Minister Margaret Thatcher has reiterated a statement she had already made during her Gulf tour, namely that any endeavours to achieve peace in the area should be based on a major role to be performed by the United States; and that any European initiative is not possible unless it is hased on such a role.

If this British stand reflects the European position on peace in the Middle-East, then the much talked-about European role and initiative have become neutralised. If this is the true European position towards the Palestine issue, it is hardly similar to the European position which France spoke about few weeks ago when it was considering a major step to consolidate peace in Lehanon.

ple. A people's energy, spi-ritedness and frankness that has puzzled many outside observers

By Dr. Kamel S. Abu Jaber

and won their admiration. Coupled with this spontaneity and optimism on the local level however, a certain mixture of anxiety, frustration and even desperation has always existed on the level of dealing with international issues, principally the Palestine p

prohlem. The Palestine problem has reflected itself in instability in the entire Middle East, which in turn has characterised Jordan's existence by a constant search for elements of stahility. Often illusive elsewhere, the Jordanian situation, with all its ups and downs has maintained a certain. measure of unstable equilibrium.

While some others in the Middle East have taken the revolutionary path, Jordan has taken an evolutionary path in its dea-lings with the challenges it faces. In this, Jordan had to pay the

price of moderation both internally and externally. Yet here it was able to relate to modernity despite the difficult odds it faced. Jordan has jumped from an

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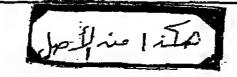
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	Lemon		230
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## FORECAST FOR TUESDAY, MAY 5, 1981



**GENERAL TENDENCIES: Many important decisions** can be made at this time which could turn out to be profitable in the future. Figure ont a fixed course of action to follow to gain your goals.

ARIES (Mar. 21 to Apr. 19) Study your property for needed repairs. Also study how to add to present assets. Make tha evening a happy one.

TAURUS (Apr. 20 to May 20) Plan how to gain whatever appeals to you the most, and then carry through in a positive way. Take it easy tonight.

GEMINI (May 21 to June 21) You must plan early if you wish to gain your particular aims and then go after them in a precise manner.

MOON CHILDREN (June 22 to July 21) Talk over with good friends ways to gain your finest aims. A new plan needa more atudy to be successful.

LEO (July 22 to Aug. 21) Morning is best time for handling any credit affairs of importance. Be precise in handling important business matters.

VIRGO (Aug. 22 to Sept. 22) Visit new places and meet people who can give you a better perspective for the future. Cut down on expenses.

LIBRA (Sept. 23 to Oct. 22) Study your assets and liabilities well before huying property. Take it easy tonight and regain energies.

SCORPIO lOct. 23 to Nov. 21) Find the best way to have greater concord and understanding with your associates so there is more profits.

SAGITTARIUS INov. 22 to Dec. 21) Study whatever is fundamental in your existence and you gain a firmer foundation. Take no risks in motion.

CAPRICORN (Dec. 22 to Jan. 20) Try to please those with whom you are closely allied, whether in business or at home. Improve your financial statua.

AQUARIUS (Jan. 21 to Feb. 19) Be sure to improve the condition of your dwelling during spare time and feel bappier about it. Maintain your poise. PISCES 1Feb. 20 to Mar. 20) Good day to study new

ways of advancing in your career. Confer with associates and plan the future wisely.

IF YOUR CHILD IS BORN TODAY ... he or she will be one who will have fine practical ideas that will help huild a secure existence, and will require a fine education in order to get ahead. Teach to be truthful and to be thoughtful of others.

The Stars impel, they do not compel." What you make of your life is largely up to you!

uffa MIDDLE EAST Before releasing survey ship demands Kuwait apology Aburan

AN. May 4 (R) — Iran is ading an official apology Kuwait before releasing a , ship seized in the Gulf last a senior Iranian official was d today as saying.

Mohammad Hashemi, y prime minister for political , told the afternoon newdeclared by Iran a war zone at the r Kayban the ship, the Wesstart of the conflict with Iraq in ea, had entered Iranian wategally and ignored two war-September last year, he said.

# Greece, Turkey o go on talking



ish Foreign Minister Ekmen Turkmen, left, meets with his Greek terpart, Mr. Constantine Mitsotakis in Rome on Sunday. AP photo)

E May 4 (R) — The foreign ers of Greece and Turkey, ) countries with rival claims Aegean Sea, have agreed to ue talks on their disputes. ations had improved last illowing Greece to return to ATO integrated military ire. Several incidents have strained their ties,

eign Ministers Ekmen Turof Turkey and Constantine takis of Greece reiterated in it communique the impe their government attach continuation of a dialogue. communique was issued 4 meeting on the eve of the tic Council session.

-ruid the secretaries general of vo foreign ministries would before the ministers meet during the forthcoming sesof the U.N. General Ass-

key cancelled a meeting of cretaries general scheduled me last week.

nings to leave. "The ship will remain under sei-Arabian Gulf port of Bushire, he zure until the Kuwait government said. The ship's crew of 19 incapologises to us in this respect."

luded 11 Britons, four Filipinos, he was quoted as saying. The Panamanian-registered three Maltese and one Dutchman. Mr. Hashemi said the Kuwait ship, on charter from an American government had protested at the company to the Kuwait National seizure, saying the ship was merely Oil Company, had violated waters

doing survey work. The United Arab Emirates had recently sought and received permission to carry out exploration work in areas close to the tcrritorial waters dividing line, he

Its crew were in custody in the

said, adding: "The Kuwaiti government could have acted in the same way." Diplomatic sources in Tehran

said last night the ship was seized in Kuwaiti waters. Diplomatic attempts continued

to get more information from the Iranian authorities on the seizure and the fate of the crew

Afghan source has said.

Britain bas no diplomatic relations with Iran and its interests are looked after by the Swedish mission here.

The Western Sea is owned by a Texas-based company, but there were no Americans reported aboard the ship. Meanwhile Kuwait said today it

appeared a misunderstanding had led Iran to seize the oil survey

Government spokesman Abdulaziz Hussein told reporters the ship had been inside Kuwaiti waters exploring for oil and gas and carrying out seismic surveys. Kuwait was trying to explain this. to Tehran and have the ship relcased.

Diplomatic sources in Tehran said yesterday the Iranians suspected the Western Sea's instruments could be used to spy on Iranian naval movements.

Soviet, Afghani troops

expand Kandahar siege

# Pakistan seeks Saudi aid to buy arms

ISLAMABAD, May 4 (R) -Pakistan is seeking help from Saudi Arabia for arms purchases, particularly of aircraft, until it can make use nf an annual \$400 million military sales credit recently negotiated with the United States, diplomatic sources said today.

The U.S.-Pakistani agreement concluded last mnnth was too late to be included in the Reagan administration's hudget for this year.

The sources said Pakistan was hoping that a promise of support from Saudi Arabia, its Islamic ally, could fill the gap between now and the beginning of U.S. military sales in the sec-ond half of 1982.

## MIDDLE EAST BRIEFS

#### Kuwait calls for U.S. recognition of PLO

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KUWAIT, May 4 (A.P.) - Kuwait has renewed. its call on the United States to recognise the Palestine Liberation Organisation as the sole legitimate representative of the Palestinian people. "All countries of the world share our opinion that the PLO is the sole legitimate representative of the Palestinian people, and we hope the United States will endorse this and recognise the PLO," said Minister of State for Cabinet Affairs Abdel Aziz Hussein yesterday. Talking to reporters after a cahinet meeting. Mr. Hussein was reacting to a statement subcommittee on Friday, when he said the PLO's help was being sought.

KUWAIT, May 4 (A.P.) - Libyan Foreign Minister Abdessalam Al Trieki, met today with the ruler of Kuwaii, Sheikh Jaber Al Ahmad Al Sabah to discuss the situation in Lebanon and "Israeli threats" to Syria. Mr. Al Trieki also called on Crown Prince Sheikh Saad Abdullah and Foreign Minister Sheikh Sabah Al Ahmad 10 discuss the same topics. Officials said the Libyan envoy briefed the ruler and other officials on Libyan leader Col. Muammar Qadhafi's recent trip to Moscow and his talks with Soviet leader Leonid Brezhnev. Mr. Al Trieki delivered a message to Sheikh Jaber from Mr. Qadhafi.

Libyan foreign minister

discusses Lebanon in Kuwait

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Diplomats said Ankara wanted to show its displeasure over a

demonstration by Armenians in front of the Turkisb embassy in Athens last month.

Greece rejected a Turkish protest, saying there was no breach of new push outward began several days ago, after many of the outorder during the demonstration. Greece recently said Turkish lying communities were pouoded military planes violated its air by artillery and tank fire.

space. There have been frequent air was still heard days after the armspace incidents and Ankara seeks oured force seized control of Kanto have the Greek sector cut from dahar's streets last week and sea-10 to six miles around Greek islled the city off from neigbbouring ands in the Acgean, especially villages where many of the antithose close to Turkey, diplomats Soviet guerrilla hands were dug said

fn a separate development, U.S. Secretary of State Alexander Haig yesterday met Mr. Mitsotakis. Negotiations between Was-

hington and Athens on U.S. military bases have reached a stalemate because the Americans would not commit themselves to

maintain a ratio of seven to 10 in being carried out hy the joint force military aid to Greece and Turkey. of Afghan and Soviet troops, said

ISLAMABAD, May 4 (A.P.) the source, a former Afghan dip-Soviet and Afghan tanks have lomat who is now aligned with a expanded their encirclement of guerrilla group, the United Isl-amic Nation Front. The front Kandahar, Afghanistan's second largest city, to include villages draws its main support from the 5-10 kilometres away, a reliable Kandahar area.

Shortages of such necessities as The source quoted recent arrsugar, cooking oil and wheat were reported in the provincial capital ivals from the area as saying the and blamed on the fact that most shops remained closed and no fresh supplies have been able to penetrate the "siege," the source However, sporadic sniper fire said in a telephone interview from

Quetta, southwest Pakistan, Soviet and Afghan tanks, some standing less than a kilometre apart, have formed a circle arouod Kandahar and villages 5-10 kilometres from where the city's old wall once stood, he said. The arm-Warplanes and helicopter gunoured vehicles were believed in ships have flown low over the city radio contact with each other and in an apparent show of force a majority reportedly manned by aimed at intimidating resistance Soviets.

The push into Kandabar appfighters, who bad held major sections of the city for four conarently was timed to coincide with the April 27 anniversary of the 1978 Marxist takeover in Afg-House-to-house searches were hanistan, said the source, who declined to be identified because of

possible reprisals against family members still in Kandahar. Although street fighting still raged in many parts of the city, a

small military parade was organised and watched by a small group of ruling party members, surrounded by heavy guard, he said.

Heavy artillery and tank fire continued through Tuesday, destroying a number of small huildings in the old city quarter and in neighbouring villages, including Kashanc and Ghoshkana, both to the southwest.

Leaflets have been dropped by helicopters warning residents not to ride bicycles, motorcycles or automobiles. The source said several fatalities already have been reported in Kandahar and the outlying districts but few details were

Reports have reached Pakistan that troops near Tahtapul, a town about 40 kilometres southeast of Kandahar, have stopped persons from trying to reach the provincial capital

3-metre fence, watch towers, searchlights surround Ras Tannoura

secutive days in late April.

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By Paul Eedle

S TANNURAH, Saudi Arabia — Saudi Mabia's main oil port, on a finger of white d jutting into the sparkling blue water of Guif, is the focal point of oilfields crucial he non-communist world.

the oilfields are vulnerable. ies of upheavals including tion in Iran and war bet-: ' ' iran and Iraq has threatened in the last two years, and ses at key sites have been

- thened to deal with dangers ig from sabotage to air sand at Ras Tannurah,

ed with 106 storage tanks ide oil and refined products,

is surrounded by a three-metre fence with watch towers and searchlights.

A year ago a U.S. newspaper reporter wrote that he had beeo able to drive on to one of the loading jetties here with a forbidden camera aod walk up to an Iraqi taoker without once being stopped or searched by the single

guard on duty.

loading piers he must stop at several checkpoints macoed by police from the industrial security department, a special force whose main task is guarding the king-

dom's oil installations. The outbreak of the Iran-Iraq war last September spurred more defensive action. The Saudi armed forces placed antiaircraft guns, missiles and mohile radar equipment around strategic sites such as Ras Tannurah and the cearby oil town of Dhahran.

The United States sent four sophisticated radar places which still fly daily missions from Riyadh airport, able to give advance warning of any hostile move on the oilfields clustered in the east of the But now, to reach the jetties a buge desert country.

#### Sleepy

the oil ministry and an escort. Ras Tannurah bas an almost Before being driven on to the sleepy air, with few people in sight around the vast tanks or oo the three jetties, two built out from the land and a third standing just offshore.

The paint on the half-dozen silent oil tankers tied up at the jetties is corroded by the harsb salt air of the Gulf.

But the taokers docked here and at loading huoys over the horizon to the oorth carry away up to 10 million harrels a day (b/d) of crude oil. The shipments meet seven per cent of the United States oil needs, 20 per cent of Europe's and 20 per cent of Japan's, with plenty to spare. The United States is convinced that to protect oil supplies of this importance it must increase its

military presence in the Middle East.

Faced with the Soviet intervention in Afghanistan, the Iranian revolution and the Gulf war. the last U.S. administration huilt up a fleet of about 30 warships in the Indian Ocean and obtained access to facilities in Oman, Somalia and Kenya for a 200.000-man Rapid Deployment Force.

The new administration has indicated it wants more facilities and more U.S. forces stationed in the area. Secretary of State Alexander Haig has just visited four Middle Eastern capitals, including Rivadh, seeking what he called a "strategic coosensus" against the Soviet threat he sees to the reg-100.

#### Determined

But Saudi Arahia and the Gulf states are equally determined that even talk of sending Western forces to the Gulf will only provoke retaliatioo by the Soviet Unioo.

Officials in these countries say they also doubt that Western forces would be of any belp in dealing with the region's immediate security problems, which they see stemming more from the Arah-Israeli dispute and local conflicts than from the Soviet Union.

Despite security measures and political debates, the oil installations remain difficult to guard.

The flat scrub and sand of eastern Saudi Arabia is criss-crossed with pipelines and dotted with small installations such as pump stations and gas-oil separator plants, clusters of tanks and pipes which remove the natural gas produced when oil is extracted.

The oil wells themselves are inevitably vulnerable, though some are now fenced in.

A well coosists of a silverpainted pipe rising straight out of the ground, equipped with an array of valves to cootrol the flow. A harrier of vellow and black tubing surrounds the site.

From the well a pipe which might be no thicker than a man's arm takes the oil away across the white sand scattered with thorn bushes and coarse grass. There is no way of protecting every inch.

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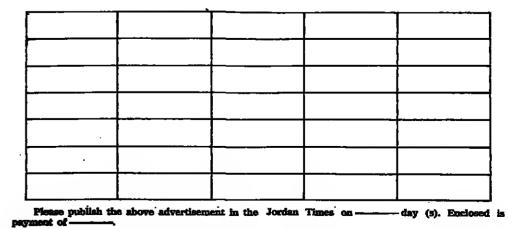
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JORDAN TIMES, TUESDAY MAY 5, 1981

ECONOMY

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OAPEC meeting starts tomorrow Yamani may face uproar over price bid

KUWAIT, May 4 (R) — Saudi Arabia's Ahmad Zaki Yamani can expect a critical reception at a meeting here this week with fellow Arab oil ministers over his bid to drive down the price of crude oil.

Wednesday's meeting of the Organisation of Arab Petroleum Exporting Countries (OAPEC) will be his first contact with col-leagues since he said on U.S. tellevision two weeks ago that Saudi Arabia is deliberately using its huge production to engineer a glut and bring prices down.

OAPEC does not set prices. But seven of its eight members also belong to the 13-nation OPEC (the Organisation of Petroleum Exporting Countries) which holds a price-setting session on May 25 in Geneva.

Gulf oil analysts said that in informal talks during the OAPEC session bere Sheikh Yamani will face vigorous complaints, particularly from price "hawks" such as Algeria and Libya, about the way he is keeping Saudi Arabian output at a record levels above 10 million barrels a day (b/d).

With world oil demand in decline, because of recession and price-led efforts to save fuel, the high output by Saudi Arabia, the biggest exporter, has already hit some other OPEC members.

Major Western oil companies have just refused to pay Kuwait a

production bas already created a glut of two to three million b/d--oil premium on top of its official price of \$35.50 a barrel. The Ashland surplus to actual consumption and Oil Company of the United States flowing into stocks. walked away from 30,000 b/d of Kuwait appears to be having to high-priced Nigerian oil.

reduce output from a ceiling of 1.5 million b/d fixed last year after fai-ling to get the Western companies The Saudis are the chief architects of a proposed OPEC price structure which would link crude prices with Western inflation and to buy oil at premium prices, Gulf economic growth. Sheikh Yamani oil analysts said. has argued that this would result in

Oil analysts in the Gulf said it was impossible to predict the outcome of this week's informal lobbying and the debate in OPEC which will begin when the oil ministers meet in Geneva on May 25.

They said Saudi Arabia would be unlikely to risk alienating fel-low Arab and Muslim oil exp-But Sheikh Yamani insists that before the new structure can be introduced OPEC should agree on a base price for crude oil and redorters too far by pursuing too uce differentials charged for pretough a line on pricing.

At present Saudi Arabia charges \$32 a barrel for Arabian light crude, the traditional OPEC "marker." But most others align JEDDAH, May 4 (A.P.) - The tement the new budget's main prices on a rate of \$36 a barrel for Council of Ministers has approved this grade of oil and producers of high quality grades add up to five a \$77.5 billion 1981 budget that includes a 17 per cent boost in military spending to \$19.4 billion the official Saudi News Agency rep-The split is over how to narrow the gap and create a workable base price structure, with the Sauorted.

dis arguing for price cuts by most King Khaled presided vesterday over the two-hour meeting of the Council of Ministers in Riyadh of the others wbo, in turn, regard that idea as unthinkable and argue instead that the answer is for Saudi that approved the budget.

Arabia to raise its prices Crown Prince Fahd Bin Abdul Aziz, deputy prime minister and chief policy maker, said in a staindustry sources, Saudi over-

Last September, Sheikh Yamani entered an OPEC session in Geneva saying he would raise his price only if others cut. But in the end he swapped a Saudi increase of two dollars for only a price freeze by the rest.

Gulf analysts speculated that Sbeikh Yamani, after 19 years as Saudi oil minister a veteran of OPEC squabbles, was taking a hard negotiating line that could later be compromised.

In the less controversial formal OAPEC talks here. the Arab oil ministers will consider nominations for judges for an OAPEC judicial board, a proposal to build a dry dock in Algeria and a report on establishing an Arab engincering company.

TEHRAN, May 4 (R) - Iran plans to spend about 850 billion rials (\$11 billion) on a major 16-year project to expand its gas network and cut dependence on kerosene as a home heating fuel. the Kayban daily newspaper reported yesterday. It quoted Mr. Vali Pour, head of the gas organisation of oilproducing Khuzestan province, as saving 220,000 private and industrial consumers all over Iran would be connected to the gas

system each year. Kerosene is currently rationed to 30 litres a month per hou-schold following the destruction of 60 per cent of Iran's oil ref-ining capacity in the early days of the war against Iraq.

\$11b gas project in Iran

The government has allocated \$200 million to import refined

products this year to make up the shortfall. Before the 1979 revolution Iran exported 10 billion cubic metres of gas a year to the Soviet Union by pipeline, but all deliveries have been halted since March 1980 over a pricing dispute.

The plan would save Iran 2.5 billion rials (\$33 million) in oil at today's prices over 16 years. Mr. Pour was quoted as saying.

Substituting gas for kerosene would reduce the need for oil refining capacity and "new refineries which expand our ties with Western countries will not be built."

# **\$77.5b** Saudi budget approved

concentration was on the productive sector, agriculture, roads, and new hospitals.

The military expenditure of the current year was \$16.7 billion, the agency said.

In a separate statement, the Ministry of Finance said inflation was brought down to 7.8 per cent from 8.3 per cent in 1979-80. It said the non-oil gross domestic product rose 12 per cent in the current fiscal year which ends May

The ministry attributed the fall of inflation to the increased capacity of the economy to absorb money, the expansion of the main infrastructure facilities, removal

of bottlenecks, such as ports, and improved public utilities. Prince Fahd said there would be salary increases for civil servants and military personnel, and for those receiving special allowances from the Ministry of Finance, including students, members of the

Ulema, or religious leaders, the Islamic Shariah judges and Sharish Court, and the Society for Commanding Virtue, which inc-ludes the religious police.

The internal security expenditure will increase by a third, from \$3.8 to \$5.1 billion.

Expenditures covering domestic subsidies for electricity, food. and agricultural will amount \$2.7 billion. The Saudi Industrial Development Fund is earmarked for three billion dollars.

# **ECONOMIC NEWS BRIEFS**

Kuwait lends Tanzania, Pakistan \$68m

KUWAIT, May 4 (A.P.) - The Kuwait Fund for Arab Economic Development loaned Tanzania and Pakistan a total of \$68 million today to assist in financing development projects, the fund announced.

Tanzania received two loans, one of \$26 million to be used infrastructural facilities, with a 3.5 per cent interest rate and to be repaid over 22 years after a four-year period of grace.

The second loan to Tanzania amounted to \$31 million to fmance rehabilitation and railway projects, with a 2.5 per cent interest rate, to he repaid over 25 years after a five-year grace period.

Pakistan got an \$11 million loan for a fertiliser project. It carries a 3.5 per cent interest rate repayable over 20 years with a five-year period of grace, according to the fund.

#### Suzuki warns U.S. on auto policy

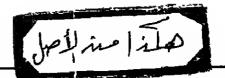
WASHINGTON, May 4 (R) — Japan's Prime Minister Zenko Suzuki said yesterday it would be suicidal for the United States to

enact protectionist legislation with regard to car imports. He said that while the automobile problem hetween Japan and the United States was "very mch an American problem," his government had "decided to exercise some prudence on the part of the Japanese automobile industry" to help the free trade machinery.

Mr. Suzuki said be realised the importance of the car industry to the American economy. But, he said, "should there be any protectionist legislation enacted in the United States, it will be suicidal for both America and Japan." Mr. Suzuki's comments, in an ABC television interview, came

just two days after the Japanese government announced it was voluntarily limiting car exports to the United States to give the financially pressed American industry time to redesign its factories to build smaller, more fuel-efficient models,





E. German researcher says

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# VS BATURES

# Unusual type of aid for disabled **Operation Sunshine'**

#### By Cornelia Wiesner

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Prof. Theodor Helibrugge amongst 'his' childen-bealthy as well as handicapped. (INF photo)

passed through it since then -- has shown the kind of benefits derived from co-existence between handicepped and non-handicapped children, "Healthy children bec-

ognition despite their debility," reports the Munich children's doc-Professor Hellbrugge's concept for the integration of the han-

than 500 doctors end the rapists from 44 countries -- from Algeria to Zulufand -- visited the Munich centre.

The 60-year-old children's specialist, himself the father of six children and grandfather six times over, is proud of his achievements. At the beginning of the 1960s, no-one believed his idea would meet with success.

Apart from integration of the handicapped child at kindergarten and in the school, another main concern of the centre is the early diagnosis and treatment of child disabilities. This is one of the reasons why the Munich Children's Centre has become known throughout the world as "Operation Sunshine". Backed up by music and occupationel therapy, physiotherapy, Montessori healing pedagogy, speech therapy, psychological and psychiatric treatment, the aim is to help the children to reduce their debility as much as possible and give them a chance to leed normel lives.

Professor Helfbrugge and his staff hope that the building of a complete new centre -- scheduled for completion in three years -will further enhance the effectiveness of work among the handicapped.

At present, the kindergartens, schools and clinical institutes are spread throughout the city. The new centre will be a real "centre". To facilitate the purchase of land for the new project, Professor Hel-Ibrugge is selling it a square metre at a time to friends and sponsors of the centre. "This is the only place you can get 'sunshine' by the square metre," quipped the pro-

# homosexuality is inborn

#### By Mark Wood

EAST BERLIN - An East German scientist is gaining international recognition for his theories that homosexuality can be traced to hormone imbalances before birth.

But the scientist, Guenther coming forward to voice support for them," Prof. Doerner said in Doerner, is facing a furious uunter-allack from West Geran interview

nany, where prominent sex res-The East Berliner's theories archers have launched a crusade have now been given added weight hy a report issued this year by igainst his ideas, describing them the Kinsey Institute, a leading an attempt to brand homexuals as "hormone cripples." American sex research centre, Professor Doerner, 52, who While not attempting to define

eads the Endocrinology Depthe causes of homosexuality, the rtment of East Berlin's Charite Kinsey analysis rules out the infiniversity Hospital, has chaluences of family or environment lenged traditional beliefs that and says homosexual inclinations homosexual inclinations are cauare established long before pubsed predominantly hy env-

Dr. Doemer's basic theory is that the level of the male horrammed into certain individuals mone, testosterone, in the foetus at a crucial stage of development has a permanent influence on the Prof. Doerner has become a

"If the level is too low in a male, he will develop a predominantly female hrain, reacting later to sexual stimuli in a similar way to a woman," Dr. Doerner said.

"If, on the other hand, the stale hormone level in a female is too high, she will be preifisposed to lesbian behaviour later in life," he

To test this premise, the prolessar carried out a series of expcriments with rats, injecting them with varying hormone levels at binh,

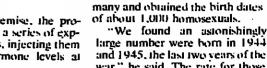
"We eventually produced females which reacted in an aggressive, male manner -- to the extent of mounting other females. At the same time we had males that reacted in an entirely female

To discover if the theory applied to humans, Prof. Doerner administered the female hormone pestrogen to a mixed group of male homosexual and heterosexual volunteers.

"The heterosexuals reacted according to the normal, set pattern for males. But the homosexuals produced a measured hormonic response similar to that found in women," he said,

The next step was to find the hormone inthalance. Prof. Docmer said researchers had already established that tension caused changes in male hormone levels in the boily. Dr. Doemer's team put pregnant rais under daily stress by immohilising them and subjecting them to bright light. Their offspring exhibited bisevual or homosexual tendencies.

To find comparisons among humans, he contacted sex researchers throughout East Ger-



and 1945, the last two years of the war," he said. The rate for those years was three times higher than average. "I interviewed a number of

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them and hound that in most cases their mothers had suffered severe or moderate stress during pregnancy, in some cases involving rape, loss of close relatives, being trapped in bombing raids.

While stress may be a primary cause of the hormone change. malfunctions in the mothers or foctus' metabolism could produce the same effect, he contends.

At the same time, stress during pregnancy by no means leads invariably to homosexual offspring, the professor said.

Dr. Doemer believes between two and four percent of all people may be "inborn" homoseyuals, although homosexual inclinations can also result from later environmental or psychological factors too, and need not be predetermined in every case.

Leading the offensive against these ideas is Professor Volkmar Sigusch, head of the West German Society for Sexual Research,



"I just took an inventory of my life and discovered I'm one monsion, three limousines ond o Nobel Prize short of my goals."



ironmental and psychological facpors. He says they are often prorom the start.

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and more leading researchers are

heart, and dummy had hardly hit the table before South called for the teo of hearts from the board and played low from his hand. A diamond to the ten lost to the queen and West made the ex-

forward a few years ago everyone attacked them, Now, I find more **GOREN BRIDGE** 

West led his fourth-best

cellent shift to a spade. Declarer won in dummy and a diamond to the king forced the ace. West persevered with spades and declarer suddenly realized that he was in dummy for the last time. He cashed the remaining spade honor but that left him with only eight tricks and no way to develop a ninth. The high diamond witbered in dummy Had South bothered to count his tricks before playing to the first trick, he might have realized that he could lose two tricks in diemonds and still come to nine if he did not mess up his entries. The diamond finesse was unnecessary; what was important were entries to the table.

popular speaker at international sexology conferences assembling prominent medical researchers, psychologists and sociologists, the vast majority from the United Sta-"When I first put my theories



incertainty and distance shrink and barriers collapse when bandicapped and non-bandicapped children learn how to get along b one another. (INF photo) STAH &



MORNIN' AN' EACH TIME SIX TIMES NORNIN' AN' EACH TIME IT'S N SOMEBODY AFTER ME FOR NEY! I'VE GOT TO GET OLITOF THIS HOUSE FOR A WHILE ! ON YOUR WAY BACK, WOULD POPPIN' IN AN' A SIX PACK? I DON'T BLAME YOU, PET P25



◇KJ10 + A10842 The bidding: South West North East 1 + Pasa 1 + Pase 1 NT Pass 2 NT Pase 3 NT Pass Pass Pass Opening lead: Four of ♡.

BY CHARLES H. GOREN

AND OMAR SHARIF

1981 by Chicago Tribune

North-South vulnerable.

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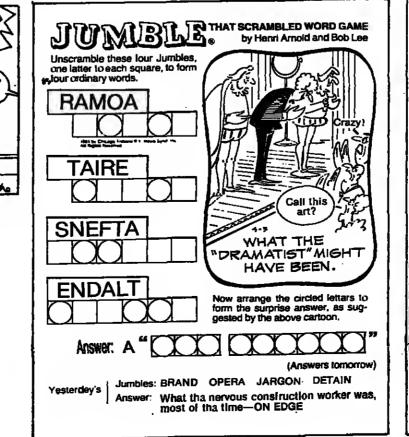
South's hand was not quite strong enough for an opening bid of one no trump. Even though the five-card suit end two tens meke the hand worth more than its 15 points in face cards, the weak spede doubleton is e serious flaw. However, once North could make ao invitational raise after first responding in South's weak suit, South was delighted to contract for game.

Therefore, declarer should win the first trick in his hand and lead the king of diamonds. West can take the ace and attack dummy's entriea by leading a spade but that will now prove futile. Declarer wins in dummy and knocks out the remaining diamood stopper. West continues with a spade end dummy wins once more.

Now, a diamond to the ten frees the nine of diamonds for the game-going trick. The queen of hearts, carefully preserved as an entry from the start, is the means of getting beck to dummy to cash the high spede and diamood.

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Authorities fear GRAPO resurfacing

# Terrorists kill army general and three others in Spain

MADRID, May 4 (R) - An army general and three members of the security forces were killed in Madrid and Barcelona today, sharply increasing tension in Spain after an attempted military coup twn months ago.

It was Spain's worst day of political violence this year, and the attacks were condemned by political parties and trade unions as a new attempt to destroy democracy

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Interior Minister Juan Jose Roson said the guerrilla organisation GRAPO (October first anti-fascist resistance groups) was responsible for both attacks. in which three passers by and two suspected gunmen were also injured.

GRAPO emerged after the death of dictator Francisco Franco in 1975 and is blamed for a string of murders and bomb attacks, inc-

## **WORLD NEWS BRIEFS**

Group demands freedom for Rudolf Hess

AUGSBURG, West Germany, May 4 (A.P.) - Rudolf Hess, the last imprisoned deputy of Adolf Hitler, still wants to be released from prison after nearly 40 years in jail. His son told a gathering here, Mr. Wolf Ruediger Hess, Municb engineer, addressed more than 300 persons in this Bavarian city at a meeting to demand release for his 87-year-old father. Sympathisers from Spain, Holland, Switzerland and France attended the session, carrying banners in demanding Hess' release.

#### Money not for war, U.S. out of Salvador'

WASHINGTON, May 4 (A.P.) - Tens of thousands of demonstrators marched to the Pentagon to protest U.S. military involvement in El Salvador and President Ronald Reagan's proposed cuts in domestic social programmes. The crowd -- hoisting placards, bearing buttons and exchanging brochures -- marched peacefully across the Memorial Bridge for rally in front of the Defence Department headquarters, chanting, "Money for people, not for war. U.S. out of El Salvador." Preliminary estimates by security officers at the Pentagon placed the crowd at 25,000. U.S. park police estimated the marchers totalled 20,000, not including those who went directly to the Pentagon. As in past protests, a much smaller group of counter-demonstrators gat-hered nearby in support of U.S. policy. The demonstrations recalled the October 1967 protest to the war in Vietnam when between 30,000 and 35,000 people angrily confronted \$,000 police men and federal marshals at the Pentagon. That two-day protest resulted in 600 arrests and some 50 injuries.

luding one which killed eight people in a Madrid cafe two years ago. It claims to be extreme leftist but there have been persistent press reports in Spain that it has in the past been infiltrated or man-

ipulated by the extreme right. Gen. Andres Gonzalez de Suso. a former defence ministry press spokesman, was shot through the head outside his central Madrid home as he went to work. In a shootout which followed, a

policeman was killed and one of the attackers was seriously wounded and captured. Police said another wounded man escaped into the underground railway station.

any political motive. Gen. Gonzalez de Suso was the The rash of shootings, which fifth military officer to be murbrought to 22 the number of peodered since the Feb. 23 coup attempt and the seventh general kilple killed in political violence in

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shed GRAPO when a number of of how the February coup attempt was planned by senior military offits alleged leaders were arrested last year Jose Maria Sanchez Casas, who icers.

police say was involved in at least 30 killings as head of GRAPO, has been given jail sentences totalling more than 150 years after several trials. The latest sentence was handed down by a Madrid court last week.

In another shooting today, two municipal policemen were wounded and a suspected bank robber was injured and detained in the Basque city of San Sebastian. A second suspect was arrested

and the 760,000 pesetas (\$9,000) bank haul recovered. Police sources said there did not appear to be

## Shahi soothes **Indian fears**

NEW YORF, May 4 (R) - Pak-istani Foreign Minister Agha Shahi has said a proposed \$500 million arms agreement with the United States would not affect Pakistan's non-aligned position nr its relationship with India.

"No change in our position on non-alignment is contemplated because of any new relationship with the United States," Mr. Shahi said in an interview with the magazine Newsweek International,

published here yesterday. Mr. Shahi denied the proposed U.S. arms pact would have an adverse impact on Pakistan's relations

"We are not entering into an

with India.

New York.

# Giscard, Mitterrand agree to TV-debate

PARIS, May 4 (R) — French presidential rivals Francois Mitterrand and Valery Giscard d'Estaing agreed finally today to meet in a televised debate tomorrow, five days before Sunday's run-off vote.

The breakthrough followed a week of baggling between the two camps over an encounter which many political analysts believe could have a crucial effect on the election result.

In a letter to the outgoing president today Mr. Mitterrand expressed doubts about the objectivity of the state-run television and stipulated that the debate be organised by what he called an independent producer and regulated by independent journalists.

The response from Mr. Giscard d'Estaing's campaign headquarters came almost immediately.

Spokesman Jean-Philippe Lecat announced that as Mr. Mitterrand had agreed to a direct dialogue with equal time for each candidate, the debate could go ahead. "The conditions should be sorted out later today," he added.

# Sands still in coma

In a previous intervention 10

days ago, the Commission failed

to solve the crisis which threatens

to plunge British-ruled Northern

Mr. Sands, 27, elected last

month as a member of the British

ernment spokesman said he was

Despite pleas for calm if be dies.

violence flared in the mainly Cat-

holic areas of west Belfast today.

Police said two trucks were set

at a police van, and police were

stoned by youths. Nobody was

The clashes took place near dis-tricts inhabited by Northern Ire-

land's Protestant majority, which

has sworn it will never sever its links with Britain despite IRA vio-

Mr. Sands' mother Rosaleeh

made an emotional appeal yes-

terday for sympathisers to refrain

from violence over her son's imp-

the Maze prison, she said: "My

son is dying. He offered his life for

don't want anything like that."

Speaking to reporters outside

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**By Paul Treuthart** 

LE TOUQUET, France: French authorities have

begun to unravel the tangled life of Laurence James

Downey, a middle-aged former monk who hijacked

an Irish jetliner to France with the aim of revealing

"the greatest secret of all time."

Investigators said the mot-

ending death.

Ireland into renewed violence.

BELFAST, May 4 (R) - Irish guerrilla Bobby Sands edged closer to death today on the 65th day of his hunger strike in Belfast's Maze prison where his family maintained a constant vigil at his bedside.

West German officials said For-

parliament, is on hunger strike to: As Mr. Sands lay in a coma, the press demands for himself and prime minister of the Irish Rephundreds of other jailed gunmen ublic, Mr. Charles Haughey, made what he called an 11th hour appeal to the European Human Rights Commission to use its influence to end the fast. ands.

# Haig tells NATO: arms talks would begin soon

arms reduction.

ROME, May 4 (R) - U.S. Sec-These countries -- West Gerretary of State Alexander Haig many, Britain, Italy, the Nettold NATO allies today that the herlands and Belgium - have United States intends to start negcome under political pressure at otiations with the Soviet Union on home from opponents of the inslimiting nuclear missiles in Europe tallation of new nuclear weapons. hefore the end of the year. Mr. Haig told the NATO min-

Spanish newspapers said they

suspected that the account was

part of a rightist mis-information

campaign. The Madrid daily El

Pais said the aim was to create a

favourable climate for a new coup.

Sotelo, who returned today from a

weekend visit to Portugal, told

reporters in Lisbon that rumours

about a new coup were totally

unfounded.

Prime Minister Leopoldo Calvo

Conference sources said Mr. Haig told the foreign ministers of isters that President Ronald Reathe 15-nation North Atlantic allgan had sent a personal haniance, meeting in a suburbandwritten letter to Soviet President Rome hotel, that the talks would Leonid Brezhnev recently, conbe held in the framework of Strference sources said. It dealt with ategic Arms Limitation Talks a broad range of issues affecting (SALT). East-West relations, they said.

The American commitment came as a relief to European eign Minister Hans-Dietrich Genmembers of NATO who plan to scher, who has taken a leading role in pressing for early U.S.-Soviet install U.S. Cruise and Pershing missiles in response to a major talks, welcomed U.S. readiness to Soviet buildup, but who also want open what were described as to open negotiations for mutual "formal negotiations."

history, was paced by goals from Jimmy Greenhoff, Jomo Sonc and Tore Cervin. Fort Lauderdale got its lone goal from Canadiar striker Branko Segota. Toronto, in last place in the Eastern Dive of the outlawed Irish republican ision, improved its won-lost record to 1-5, while the Southern army (IRA) to be classified as political prisoners. The British gov-Division-leading Strikers dropped to 5-2. ernment has rejected his dem-Mr. Sands lapsed into a coma yesterday moroing, and a gov-

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**SPORTS ROUNDUP** 

McEnroe wins WCT in Dallas

DALLAS, Texas, May 4 (R) - American John McEnroe bea Johan Kriek of South Africa 6-1, 6-2, 6-4 in one hour 51 minute-

Bjorn Borg of Sweden, earned \$100,000 and Kriek collected

German bags 4 of 5 medals in gymnastics;

MADRID, May 4 (R) - East Germany's Maxi Gnauck emerged

the supreme victor at the European Women's Gymnastics Cha

mpionships which ended here, lifting four of the five gold medals

The two-day event underlined the dominance of East Europear

countries in this sphere. Only one western gymnast, the youni

Spanish girl Irene Martimez, appeared in finals-and then for only

one event in which she finished last. Gnauck's overall excellence

was only once overshadowed, by 15-year-old Romanian Cristing

Grigoras, whose gold medal on the vault prevented the East German from making a clear sweep of all the trophies.

Toronto breaks soccer losing streak

TORONTO, May 4(A.P.) - Toronto Blizzard broke a five game

losing streak with a torrid second-half performance to bear

injury-plagued Fort Lauderbale Strikers 3-1 and pick up its firs

victory of the North American Soccer League Season yesterday

The Blizzard, which had gotten off to its worst start in the club est and

to win the World Championship Tennis (WCT) finals tournamen for the second time. McEnroe, ranked second in the world behing \$21

alight, a petrol bomb was thrown 'LISBON, May 4 (A.P.) - Independence fighters seeking to oust South Africa from the mineral-rich South West African territory have rejected proposals for a discussion of the question by NATO member states, the Portuguese national news agency ANOP reported today.

> Quoting a note released by SWAPO, the South West African People's Organisation, at the Angolan capital of Luanda yesterday, the report stated the group favoured continued efforts by the United Nations to bring independence to the area.

a set of conditions, but not to. SWAPO President Sam Nujcause further death outside ... we oma continued the communique with a sharp response to the U.N.

Ex-monk with 'greatest secret of all time'

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#### 15 die in rebel attacks in Philippines

MANILA, May 4 (A.P.) - Communist rebels gunned down 15 people, mostly soldiers, and wounded 15 others in separate ambushes in two Philippine provinces, the military said today. Meanwhile, separatist guerrillas killed an unknown number of civilians and wounded "scores" of others in raids on two villages in the southern Philippines, a military report said. The incidents occurred last Saturday in the southern provinces of Zamboanga del Sur and Lanao del Norte, and on Samar Island in the central Philippines, the reports said. The military said 13 people were killed and three others wounded when a joint military-police patrol was ambushed by a communist New People's Army (NPA) band they were pursuing in Dumingag municipality in Zam-boanga del Sur, 760 kms southeası of Manila. Ten of those slain were troopers. Two army engineers were killed and 12 others wounded when a band of insurgents ambushed two military trucks in Dolores town of Samar, 560 kms southeast of Manila, reports said. In Lanao del Norte, 800 kms southeast of Marila, Moro National Liberation Front (MNLF) guerrillas raided the villages of Inangongan and Dimayan, killing an unknown number of residents, according to the military. The homes of the villagers were also looted, it added. The NPA is the military arm of the outlawed Communist Party while the MNLF is an insurgent group fighting for self-rule in the south.

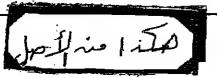
#### 1 more arrested in Air India sabotage case

BOMBAY, May 4 (A.P.) — India's Central Bureau of Inv-estigation (CBI) arrested an Air India maintenance engineer in the case of the reported sabotage of a jetliner earmarked to take Prime Minister Indira Gandbi on a foreign tour this week. Mr. P.Raman's arrest followed the detention last Thursday of three airline officials and a former employee on suspicion of damaging vital control systems of the Air India Boeing 707 jetliner. Earlier five senior engineering and security officers of the international carrier were summarily dismissed. Meanwhile, an official spokesman described as untrue a statement by former foreign minister A.B. Vajpayee that the plane, named "Makalu", was not the one scheduled to fly Mrs. Gandhi to Switzerland and the Middle East. This plane "was kept ready for Mrs. Gandhi," the spokesman said. Mr. Vajpayee, some other opposition leaders and newspapers have voiced scepticism over the claim of a plot against the prime minister. They have suggested that the damage app-aremly carried out prior to April 20, if not detected, would have caused the plane to crash long before Mrs. Gandhi's scheduled May 5 departure.

#### Heart-lung recipient breathes on own

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STANFORD, California, May 4 (A.P.) - A man who received a new beart and lungs last week breathed without belp yesterday, a spokeswoman at Stanford University Medical Centre said. Mr. Charles Walker, who underwent the heart-lung transplant Friday, was taken off a respirator Saturday. It was only the fifth such operation in history and the second in the past decade. Mr. Walker was weaned from the respirator sooner than was Mrs. Mary Gohlke, the world's longest-living survivor of the double transplant. She underwent the surgery at Stanford March 9 and needed the respirator for 16 days. The three previous heart-lung recipients survived for eight hours, eight days and 23 days, respectively. Mr. Walker, 30. of Binghamton, New York was "doing well" a hospital spokeswoman said. Mr. Walker, who had a congenital heart defect that led to severe lung damage, waited nearly a month at Stanford before organs from a compatible donor were available. Doctors treating Mrs. Gohlke, 45, attribute her long survival to the use of a new drug, Xlosporin A, which thwarts rejection of the foreign organs by the body while allowing the body's natural immunity system fight infection.



#### arms race with India. We are all u favour of limitations of arms, but Bomb attack every country feels the need to replace obsolete equipment and to in Athens provide for some defence capability," he said.

Suzuki off to U.S TOKYO, May 4 (A.P.) - Prime

Minister Zenko Suzuki, scheduled to meet with U.S. president Ron-The car, which was beavily ald Reagan for their first summit on Thursday and Friday, left today afternoon for Washington via artment

The talks, coming as the U.S.-No-one immediately claimed Japan auto dispute was resolved in negotiations last week, are exp-

Last month, six bombs were ected to focus on Japan's defence planted under cars belonging to programme. The 70-year-old Suzuki, acc-U.S. military personnel working at an American airbase in Athens, A ompanied by Foreign Minister clandestine organisation, called Masayoshi Ito, is also scheduled to the "revolutionary left," claimed responsibility.

confer with Secretary of State-Alexander Haig and Defence Sec-Greek and U.S. diplomats are retary Caspar Weinberger during engaged in talks on the status and his six-day stay in the United Staoperation of four U.S. bases in Greece. Mr. Suzuki's trip, which will

Under an agreement initialled conclude with a two-day visit to in 1977 but never signed, Greece Canada, is his second overseas would have recieved \$700 million journey since he became prime in U.S. aid over four years in return for the bases. The Greek government has said it considers the Japan's role in defending its amount inadequate. Greek opposition parties want the bases clo-

The fishermen could not be rea-

ched immediately for comment.

It is not known whether they would divide the treasure. Shi-

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by newspapers, estimated that if

the gold were claimed by only one

of the three finders, a 75 per cent

tax would be levied. If the finders

# Japanese 'Golden Week' brings gold to three

from a morning fishing operation. Each bar, described by officials as TOKYO. May 4 (A.P.) - Three fishermen from soutbwestern Japan had good reason to cel-"almost pure" in quality, was fastened to used tire tubes. ebrate Japan's annual spr-The authorities had suspected ingbreak, a spate of national holidays known as "Golden Week." The trio had picked up a bit of that the gold was being smuggled to a foreign country, possibly to South Korea, which is only 200 glitter themselves.

minister last July. He toured Sou-

own shores looms as the top issue

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at the Washington meeting.

Mr. Akio Hamamoto, 51, his son and brother became the owners of two gold bars worth main island, \$700,000 over the weekend after the treasure they found went uncofficial, who declined to be laimed, Maritime Safery Agency official said today. A three-year deadline ended at midnight Satdence was found of smugging. urday.

The fishermen are expected to pick up the bars, weighing a total of 46 kilogrammes, at the municipal office in Shimonoseki, about 900 kilometres southwest of Tokyo, on Wednesday when business resumes as usual after the consecutive holidays.

They found the gold floating 2 chose to divide it among thekilometres off Shimonoseki on mselves, the tax would be reduced, according to reports. May 3, 1978, as they returned

ATHENS, May 4 (R) - A tim-Saga of a hijack and an ebomb exploded under a parked

car belonging to an American diplomat in the centre of Athens today but no one was hurt, police said.

damaged, belonged to Mr. Jesse Lewis, first secretary at the U.S. embassy's political affairs dep-

responsibility for the hombing.

ivating force behind the eighthour airport drama, which ended peacefully Saturday night on a runway in this English Channel coastal town, was Downey's obsession with a mysterious revelation the Virgin Mary is said to have told three Portuguese chi-

ldren 64 years ago. A crack French anti-terrorist squad used trickery to distract and overpower the short, stocky Downey, who had hijacked the Aer Lingus Boeing 737 with 113 persons aboard minutes before it was scheduled to land at London's Heathrow airport Saturday afternoon after a short flight from Dublin, Ireland.

Armed only with plastic bottles apparently filled with gasoline, the 55-year-old native of Perth, Australia, had ordered the plane's pilot to fly to Le Touquet airport, 200 kilometres northwest of Paris.

kilometres across the strait. Shi-Officials said Downey had plamonoseki is on the western tip of nned to release the passengers Honsbu Island, Japan's largest there after receiving assurances Irish newspapers would publish a nine-page rambling religious mes-The Maritime Safety Agency sage he had written. They said named, said that in the agency's Downey also demanded the plane three-year investigation no evibe refuelled so that it could take him to Tehran.

On orders from Downey, pilot Edward Foyle opened his cockpit window shortly after arrival at Le Touquet and tossed out the message entitled "The Third Secret of Fatima," which Downey had written last Christmas to explain his actions.

The Associated Press has learned Downey's message began: "A former Trappist monk from a monastery in Rome reveals after

20 years how a simple punch in the nose of his superior, which led to his excommunication and expulsion from the cloister, became the means whereby the greatest secret of all time was made known.

Investigators discovered that Downey, a former tour guide, carpenter, language instructor and father of five children, was wanted in West Australia for questioning in a \$\$0,000 land fraud.

Described by officials as "apparently mad," Downey was being held at regional police headquarters in nearby Lille. Authorities there said Downey could appear hefore a judge but declined to release further information.

The drama on Aer Lingus Flight 164 began when a casually dressed man with a grizzled face entered the cockpit with two small plastic bottles.

"We were told he said the liquid was gasoline and it smelled like it when he sprinkled some on himself later," said one passenger.

Iranian officials said they would refuse to let the hijacked plane land in Tehran and officials said Downey later suggested he might like to go to Algeria.

The plane's three stewardesses were credited with persuading Downey to release 11 women and children four hours after the. plane's arrival in France. Authorities said Downey had promised to release the remaining 102 hostages if Irish newspapers published his nine-page message.

In Dublin, Irish Independent editor Vincent Doyle said the uewspaper would honour its ple-

dge by publishing an edited version of the message.

"It would be impossible to publish it in its present form," Doyle said. "It's 4.000 to 5,000 words long, illogical and with no coherence."

Downey was reading a telex from Irish officials assuring him Irish editors had agreed to publish his message when airport authorities requested permission to open the plane's door to remove a woman they said needed medical attention.

They said the "inexperienced sage said he travelled to the a hijacker" agreed. Once the door tral Portugal town of Fati, where he worked 11 months all tour guide at the National Shr was open, authorities said a dozen anti-terrorist agents entered the airport, raced up the aisle and oveof Our Lady of the Rosary of F rcame Downey in the cockpit witima. hout firing a shot.



The French commandos who stormed the Aer Lingus plane, cel-ebrating after their success. (AP wirephoto)

Downey was calmly smoking a cigarette when he was led away by police. The passengers were released unharmed, fed at an airport restaurant and then flown back to... London.

A 35-member group of 1rish government and Aer Lingus officials, who had flown to Le Touquet in an attempt to persuade

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had decided it was still not  $th_{\lambda}^{(0)}$ appropriate time to reveal the set. ret. There has been speculatic, among some believers that the

secret is a detailed prophecy ( another global war or of the end Ca the world. ASSOCIATED PRESS